

**Journal**

**Office of Legislative Counsel**

**Friday - 21 November 1958**

**1. Telephoned Ben Mandel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, to advise him of the Agency assessment of [redacted]**

**[redacted] Mr. Mandel was very appreciative of being afforded this information.**

**2. [redacted]**

**[redacted] I met with Richard Arens and gave him a general briefing on the Agency assessment.**

**3. In discussing other matters with Mr. Arens, he asked if the Agency had any suggestions on the availability of experts on communism in the Latin American areas. I informed him that I thought we had gone into this for him in the past, coming up with a negative, but I would look into it again and call him.**

**4. Met with William Darden, Senate Armed Services Committee, and gave him appropriate instructions and briefing concerning the [redacted] trip on 1 December. I requested him to pass on the information to Mr. Bolten and I would also telephone Mr. Bolten.**

**5. Met with Francis S. Hewitt, Senate Appropriations Committee, to furnish him briefing and instructions on the [redacted] trip of 1 December. Requested that he furnish the information to Mr. Rexroad but that I also would be in touch with Mr. Rexroad.**

**6. Met with Kenneth Sprinkle, House Committee on Appropriations, to discuss the [redacted] trip of 1 December and learned that both Sprinkle and Crosby necessarily will have to cancel. However, they are both most interested in making the trip and efforts will be made to accommodate them at a later time.**